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The stock is intact and complete in every particular. You should see it now, before it is picked over.

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Good Times Are Here.

WHERE IS THE MAN who said the dull times would last until 1896? Mr. Croaker go to. Labor Day is a legal holiday in New York state, yet the dry goods jobbers were compelled to keep open on that day—their customers demanded it,—and they are working nights to fill orders.

GOODS WERE NEVER SO CHEAP.

OUR STOCK OF DRESS GOODS is being closed out at a tremendous sacrifice. You can't afford to miss us when shopping. Trimmings at the same low prices. If you don't want to be strongly tempted to buy notions, you had better not come to our place. The cheapest line of Hosiery we ever offered you will be placed on sale next week.

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Gas at reduced prices.

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Incandescent cheaper than lightning.

For good service, correct meters and fair treatment, we are the people.

The Portsmouth Gas & Electric Company.

SURROUNDED.

The Japanese Hemmed In in Southern Corea.

A Japanese Force of 2,000 Men Meet With Serious Disaster.

The Whole of Southern Corea Rises Against the Japanese—Gen. Lie-Yung-Fu, of Annan, Ordered to Duty—Two Thousand Houses Destroyed at Chung King.

SHANGHAI, Sept. 15.—If the reports received here from Corea are to be believed there would seem to be no doubt that the Japanese forces operating against the Chinese are likely to be hemmed in. Dispatches received here from Fusan bring additional confirmation of reports that the whole of southern Corea has risen against the Japanese. It also seems to be confirmed that the Japanese force of 2,000 men who attempted to march from Fusan to Seoul have met with disaster serious enough to compel them to return to the former place with 1,200 of their number missing. From this it is judged that serious fighting must have taken place, as it is not believed that the 1,200 missing soldiers will reach Fusan. A force of 260 fresh troops has arrived at Fusan in order to protect the Japanese settlement at that place against an anticipated attack upon the part of the armed bands of Tonghaks gathering in the neighborhood.

Gen. Lie-Yung-Fu, the prominent black flag chief of Annan, has received orders from the throne to depart as soon as possible for the island of Formosa, where he is to act as assistant imperial high war commissioner. Gen. Lie-Yung-Fu at the end of August attempted to transport 500 soldiers from Swatow to Formosa, but, hearing rumors that a Japanese squadron was cruising in the vicinity of Formosa, the captain of the steamer engaged to transport the Chinese troops would not put to sea, in spite of the entreaties and threats of the black flag general. Nothing daunted, Gen. Lie-Yung-Fu succeeded in smuggling his men across to the island in small parties in any boats he could obtain possession of and whenever there was a chance of so doing. In this connection it is reported that the transport steamer referred to was afterward overhauled by three Japanese cruisers, who sent boats of armed men to board her. The Japanese officers demanded the ship's papers, carefully examined them, and then searched the steamer, evidently having received information to the effect that Gen. Lie-Yung-Fu was likely to be on board of her.

A disastrous fire, attended with considerable loss of life, is reported to have occurred at Chung-King, on the evening of August 25. The conflagration is said to have raged all night and before midnight the whole of the southeastern portion of the city was in flames. About thirty persons are known to have perished during the fire, and it is probable that this number is far less than that which will eventually be shown to represent the actual loss of life. It is roughly estimated that the loss by the fire will amount to fully ten million taels. About 2,000 buildings were destroyed, including part of the Taotais Yamen (city hall) and three Chinese temples. No foreign houses were burned. The Taotais' wife, who was in feeble health, succumbed to the shock.

Chairman Wilson Improved.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Congressman W. L. Wilson, of West Virginia, was interviewed by a representative of the United Press, at Hotel Savoy, Friday morning. Mr. Wilson said that he was perfectly well, his health having improved greatly on his voyage over. He was here, he said, merely on a pleasure trip and would sail from Southampton for New York on September 29. Mr. Wilson did not give a direct answer to the question as to how the bill would affect British trade. He said it was purely an American bill. The democrats, he said, was a low tariff party.

Aged Woman Fatally Tortured.

PORT MORRIS, N. J., Sept. 15.—A masked burglar entered the house of Mrs. Caroline Whitman, an aged white woman living near Dorchester, and tortured her with fire in a fruitless effort to make her reveal the supposed hiding place of her money. The burglar first struck her over the head with a pistol, and then twisted strips of paper and, lighting them, held them under her feet until she writhed in agony. The old lady was found by her son alive, but in such a condition of agony and terror that her life is despaired of.

New Mexican Pops.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Sept. 15.—The territorial populist convention has nominated T. B. Mills, of Las Vegas, for delegate to congress. The platform recommends the election of president, U. S. senators, U. S. marshals and postmasters by the direct vote of the people, the abolition of national banks, the establishment of postal savings banks, liberal pensions and the Swiss system of referendum.

Colima About to Belch.

GUADALAJARA, Mex., Sept. 15.—An eruption of Colima volcano, situated on the Pacific coast south of this city, is threatened and the inhabitants of the district at the base of the mountains and adjoining valley are in a state of excitement. An eruption at this time would result in heavy loss to crops and great damage to other property.

New Presidential Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The president has appointed the following postmasters: W. L. Kelly, Scottdale, Pa.; Charles Lessong, Carnegie, Pa.; Robert P. Palmer, Washington, C. H., O.; Orrin R. Pierce, Hudson, Mich.; Alfred B. Tinsley, Sioux Falls, S. D.

TIME, 2:01 1-2.

Robert J. Again Lowers the Pacing Record.

Carbonate Lowered the Two-Year-Old Pacing Record.

Joe Patchen Brings Down the Stallion Pacing Record to 2:04—Alix Trotted a Second Mile in 2:04 1-2—A Record-Breaking Day at Terre Haute.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 15.—It was the greatest record-breaking day ever seen on the track. Friday night everyone was wearing a long ribbon with the new record miles printed upon it. Robert J. paced a mile in 2:01½. Carbonate lowered the 2-year-old pacing record from 2:10 to 2:09. John R. Gentry made the stallion record for pacers 2:03¾, and did so in a race; Directly tied Carbonate's record of 2:10, for 2-year-old pacers, made earlier in the week; Joe Patchen paced the mile in 2:01, beating the stallian record of 2:05¼, which held good until early in the day, when Gentry set the new mark, and "sweet little Alix" trotted a second mile 2:01½ the same week, which never before had been done.

It was 2:30 when Robert J. started to beat his own racord of 2:02½.

The atmosphere was yet sultry, but the clouds had disappeared and the wind had gone. The king made a bad break in the second scoring, but got away well in the center of the track on the third attempt that he might the better get around the first short turn of the four-cornered track. It was seen that he was at his best, and when the quarter was caught at 0:30⅜, the hope was strong.

The runner who was making the pace came alongside near the half, which was made in 1:00¾, and the six thousand people broke into cheers. The three-quarters was reachd in 1:30¾, making the middle half of the mile in the phenominal time of 0:57, or at the rate of 1:59. He came home strong and went under the wire with the apparent courage and effort of his first quarter. The time, 2:01½, was put up at once.

There was no dispute among either the official timers or the many expert timers among horsemen gathered in line with the wire at either side of the track.

The cheering which began with sight of the figures had not ceased when Geers came back to the wire with the Hamein entry. The track was covered with people. Some of them caught Geers up on their shoulders and carried him to the fence in front of the grand stand, where again he was received with cheers.

Soon afterward Joe Patchen was brought out. He was sent to beat the stallion pacing record of 2:05¼, held until Gentry's mile was made earlier Friday. He went the first quarter in 0:30¾, the half in 1:01¾, the three-quarters in 1:32 and the mile in 2:04.

Attempt to Wreck a Train.

FREEPORT, Pa., Sept. 15.—Wm. Law, a recently discharged employe of the West Pennsylvania railroad, was arrested, charged with an attempt to wreck the Freeport accommodation train at a sharp curve between Butler junction and Sligo station. Law had rolled a large rock on the track directly in front of the approaching train. His object was revenge for having been discharged. The pilot of the engine burst the rock into fragments, and the train passed over in safety. This was Law's second attempt to wreck a train.

Games Played Friday.

*St. Louis	1
New York	0

*Where game was played.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Pr Ct.
Baltimore	79	36	115	.687
New York	78	42	120	.650
Boston	76	42	118	.644
Philadelphia	68	50	118	.576
Brooklyn	64	52	116	.551
Cleveland	60	56	116	.517
Pittsburgh	58	59	117	.496
Chicago	51	68	119	.428
Cincinnati	50	68	118	.424
St. Louis	48	71	119	.403
Washington	41	78	119	.342
Louisville	33	85	118	.278

Minister Denby to Stay.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The published storo that H. R. Whitehouse, who was succeeded as secretary of legation at Rome by Mr. Larz Anderson, has been selected for appointment as minister to China is officially denied at the state department. Mr. Charles Denby, minister to China, who was recently in this country on leave, has been ordered back to his post, and left San Francisco for that purpose. It is stated that no change in the mission is contemplated.

Too Much Whisky.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 15.—The Ritchie county fair, at Pennsboro, was completely surrounded by speak-easies, who sold country men whisky. One man is dead and another is dying. It is reported many others who attended are at home sick. United States marshals went down Friday morning with the intention of arresting illicit dealers.

Campaign Books.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The republican campaign book is delayed in its publication by the printer. It will be issued Saturday, when 5,000 copies will be ready for circulation. The price of this document is ten cents by wholesale. The democratic campaign book will cost fifty cents.

Depew Not a Candidate.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Chauncey M. Depew returned home Friday on the American line steamer New York, and announced positively that he would not be a candidate for governor of the state of New York. Mr. Depew said that it was too late in the day for him to think about the nomination.

The first snow of the season occurred at Havre, Mont., Thursday night. There was a deposit of over four inches.

CENSUS ABOUT COMPLETED

The Work Has Been Done in an Unusually Short Period.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The work of the eleventh census is about completed, the work on population and vital statistics being all that remains to be done. The portion of the work on population remaining uncompleted is that on occupations. The vital statistics are made up largely from the figures on population and have been held back on account of the work in the population division. Chief Clerk Downell thinks that in less than five months the work of the census will be completely closed and the present force of 400 employes reduced to forty or fifty at the outside. These will be experts, who will have charge of the proofs from the printing office. An additional supplement to the compendium of the census is yet to be issued. But while the census work proper will thus be finished in a few months, it may be several years before the work of printing is all done and the complete work published. The completion of the work at so early a period is unusual, and to Superintendent Wright's skill and experience in handling statistics this is largely attributed.

TO BE IMPEACHED.

Crescent Citizens of All Classes Denounce Mayor Fitzpatrick.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 15.—District Attorney Butler Friday filed in the civil district court of this city a suit for the impeachment of Mayor Fitzpatrick. Ex-Associate Justice Fenner will be the leading counsel in behalf of the people. The suit is filed with the signature of twenty-five citizens, embracing capitalists, business men, professional men, clerks and representatives of labor. The petition occupies twenty-one pages of type-written matter, and includes some twenty-five or more specifications. The mayor is charged with favoritism, with incompetency, etc. The suit will be tried before the five civil judges sitting en banc, and the mayor if found guilty may appeal to the court of appeals, which is the tribune of last resort.

A Broad Confession.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 15.—The wholesale liquor dealers of the state are much exercised over the recent decision of the dairy and food commissioner. Numerous letters have been received at the department asking what are the requirements of the new law. Most of the dealers admit that there is comparatively little pure liquor on the market. Two wholesalers, who called at the office Friday, stated that if the department insisted upon the rule requiring the full proof of 91 per cent. for whisky they would sell out and retire from business.

Drunken Son's Terrible Deed.

CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 15.—While partially under the influence of liquor Friday morning Eugene McCarthy, living at 177 Oregon street, quareled with his mother and cut her throat almost from ear to ear. The old lady is dying. Mrs. McCarthy is an old woman and could make only slight resistance against her unnatural son's savage attack. In the struggle one of her ears was completely severed from her head. The son is in jail.

Twenty-Year-Old Butter.

GALLIPOLIS, O., Sept. 15.—While cleaning out an old well at Kyger, this county, Perry Rupe found in the mud at the bottom a covered tin bucket containing a silver dish, upon which was nearly a pound of butter, apparently as fresh as the day it was placed there. The butter is said to have been in this unique place for over twenty years, having been placed there by the man who dug the well.

Chapter of Casualties.

DELAWARE, O., Sept. 15.—Councilman William Campbell, while cutting dried beef sliced off his thumb. A young man named Adams had 15 stitches taken in him for sliding down into a well and alighting on the hook at the end. A little boy named Stricklin fell on the car tracks, sustaining internal injuries.

Becomes a Raving Maniac.

SCOTT, O., Sept. 15.—Mrs. J. I. Marks, wife of Groceryman Marks, of this place, became a raving maniac and attempted suicide Friday morning. The bad action of her son, Harry, brought on her distress. The interference of friends prevented her from taking her life.

An Insane Traveler.

LIMA, O., Sept. 15.—Friday morning a passenger suddenly went insane on a Pennsylvania passenger train and had to be overpowered. He was taken off here. His name is thought to be John Kennedy. He was ticketed from Chicago to New York and had a roll of money.

Remarkable Accident.

ALLIANCE, O., Sept. 15.—Mrs. Susan Johnston, an aged woman, while walking through a cemetery at Homeworth, five miles south of this city, was pinioned to the earth by a falling headstone. Her cries finally attracted the attention of a passerby, who relieved her. Her injuries may prove fatal.

Forepaugh's Stranded.

LIMA, O., Sept. 15.—Forepaugh's circus is stranded at Bluffton. At Gibson, Ind., the proprietor of the menagerie left the show, and Friday night the canvasmen refused to work until they were paid.

Crushed Between Cars.

WEST CARROLLTON, O., Sept. 15.—Geo. Myers, 38, single, an employed of the George H. Friend Paper Co., here, was fatally injured by being crushed between the couplings of two moving freight cars on the Big Four switch.

Stole Her False Teeth.

PORTSMOUTH, O., Sept. 15.—Nicholas Britner, a prominent German, was arrested Friday on a complaint filed by his wife, charging him with stealing her false teeth.

Pullman to Go to New Jersey.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—George M. Pullman is here examining a large tract of land in New Jersey, with a view of establishing an eastern branch of the Pullman shops.

PARKHURST'S

Serious Charges Against Recorder Smythe, of New York,

Causes a Sensation Among the General Sessions Officials.

The Grand Jury May Summon the Doctor Before Them to Tell What He Knows, If Anything, About the Recorder—His Charges Disbelieved.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst's assault upon Recorder Smythe was the uppermost topic Friday among the officials of the general sessions. Dr. Parkhurst's assertion that the recorder has been a thick and thin defender of the police was declared to be unfounded.

The grand jury, the understanding is, discussed Dr. Parkhurst's attack, and on Monday will take a vote to decide whether they will summon Dr. Parkhurst before them to tell what he knows, if anything, about Recorder Smythe or the "judicial ring" which he says exists in this county.

Judges Cowing, Martine and Fitzgerald met at recess, and, it is understood, discussed the propriety of taking some official notice of Dr. Parkhurst's attack. District Attorney Fellows and his staff were much incensed, and some of them were outspoken in condemnation of Dr. Parkhurst. Lawyers who practice in the general setsions resented the attack warmly.

Lawyer Charles W. Brooke said: "Dr. Parkhurst should be more cautious. His references to Recorder Smythe are utterly without reason and, therefore, he has overstepped his privileges."

A Prolific Couple.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., Sept. 15.—On the south side of the Kanawha, a few miles from here, live a man, his wife and fourteen children. The mother of the family, who is now said to be but 25 years of age, was married when she was 12, while the father is but seven years the senior of his wife. Between her twelfth and twenty-first year the mother bore twelve children, among them being four sets of twins. Since then two others have been born. She now has children older than she was when she was married, and looks more like the elder sister than the mother of the brood.

The Encampment at an End.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 15.—The twenty-eighth national encampment of the G. A. R. and all the attendant ceremonies and festivities is over. The Woman's Relief corps installed its officers Friday morning, but the work of the other organizations was completed Thursday night. The last number of the official programme was completed Friday, when the officers and delegates, with their ladies, were given a boat excursion, which took in the armor plate mills at Homestead.

Boy Kills a Merchant.

WACO, Tex., Sept. 15.—In a dispute over a small account Leon Black, 22 years old, son of a member of the police force, shot and killed Alex Fred, a a Jewish merchant, while in the latter's store in the suburbs. Father and son are charged with the crime. The son having got into an altercation with Fred, asked his father for a revolver, which was given to him, and he immediately fired. Young Black is in hiding, but his father was arrested.

The Colorado Sheep Killing.

RIFLE, Col., Sept. 15.—Sheriff Ware, of Garfield county, has thoroughly investigated the recent sheep killing. Officers claim to have a chain of evidence that will justify arrests. Herders in charge of the sheep at the time of the killing claim to be able to identify three or four of those implicated. Parachute sheepmen declare their intention to quit business and buyers are now on the ground.

Japs Repulsed With Heavy Loss.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—A dispatch to the Times from Tien Tsin says that news has reached there from Ping Yan that the Japanese, on the night of the 11th made an attempt to surprise the Chinese camp, but were repulsed with heavy loss. The movement of Japanese troops were impeded by the standing crops, which also hid the enemy from them.

Offering Bribes to British Soldiers.

HONG KONG, Sept. 15.—Chinese agents are offering bribes to the soldiers of the British garrison in order to induce them to desert and enter the Chinese service. The commander of the British forces at Hong Kong has issued an order warning the troops against listening to the advances of the Chinese government.

Colorado Republican Nominations.

DENVER, Sept. 15.—The republican state convention completed the state ticket by nominating Hon. C. C. Parks for auditor of state, Byron T. Carr for attorney-general, Mrs. A. J. Peavey for superintendent of public instruction, C. M. Gillin and W. R. Dudley for regents of the state university.

Bathtubs for School Children.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—The board of education has arranged for bathtubs in several of the schools where dirty children will be scrubbed by the janitors before being allowed to enter the classes.

Opium Den Raided.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.—A raid was made on an opium den at midnight, and $5,000 worth of stolen property recovered. Fifteen men and three women were arrested.

Hunting for a Home for His Bride.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Associate Justice White is hunting a home in this city for his bride to be.

Salt Still Free.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Secretary Carlisle decides that salt used in fisheries is still free.

Housekeeping in a Church.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Ex-Senator Van Wyck, of Nebraska, begins housekeeping in a church in this city.

PERSONAL.

M. D. McCall of Elm Tree, is in Portsmouth today.

Miss Dora Jones of Elm Tree is visiting friends in the city.

D. M. Hampton, the lumber agent was in Greenup yesterday on business.

Miss Rosa Klink, of Cincinnati, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Schmidt, is quite ill.

Mrs. Wesley Hazlett of Gallia street has returned from a pleasant visit with Nile township friends.

Mrs. Samuel McConnell and family will move next week into the T. B. Lawson property on West Second street.

Miss Sue Griffith, who has been the guest of Mrs. Dudley Hutchins this week, returned today to her home in Cincinnati.

Miss Flora B. Field of London, England arrived here from the East yesterday afternoon for a visit with relatives and friends. She has been in this country a few weeks.

Henry R. Kinney, who resides in the old Kinney Homestead, in Clay township was a pleasant caller at the TIMES office this morning. Mr. Kinney has been a continuous resident of Scioto county since 1815.

Mrs. Baird and granddaughter, Miss Alice Sojourner of Kingston, Miss., left this afternoon after a few days pleasant visit with the family of Hon. A. C. Thompson. They will spend Sunday in Cincinnati and then return to their home in the South. They have been in Canada during the summer.

Misss Kate Bigler of Duluth, who has been visiting her consin, Mrs. Nora Franklin for a few weeks left this afternoon for Wellston, where she will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Willard for several days. She will then go to Kansas city to visit her sister and later will go South to spend the winter in Florida.

A OLIGO-NUNK.

A Party of Portsmouth People Spend a Delightful Holiday.

A small party of excursionists from this city spent a very enjoyable time yesterday exploring the caves of Oligo-Nunk. The party was immensely pleased with the C. & O.'s famous resort, and unite in saying that they know of no place where a day's outing can be more thoroughly enjoyed. Those who took in the excursion were Col. A. A. Branch, Mrs. Branch and sister, Orin Branch, Mrs. C. Lenhart, A. Maier and wife, Mrs. S. R. Morse and daughter, of Quincy, Ky., Mrs. J. T. Grady, Mrs. Thos. Brown, Mrs. J. P. Hannahs, Master Oscar Rowe, Miss Pet Williams, Miss Lena Storns, Chas. Gray, Miss Celia Tietrick, Leslie Hudson, Miss Bidwell, Mame Bidwell, Hettie Noel, Mrs. Bancus, of La Crosse, Wis., M. F. Mickelthwait, Mrs. White, Mrs. Black, Mrs. Wood, Mr. Duncan, Miss Warden, J. Brown, Mr. Johnson and Miss Sherman.

The party made a trip through the caves, the ladies getting along splendidly. The heavy weights of the party, August Maier, A. A. Branch and M. F. Mickelthwait, were not so lucky, however, as in going through the fish worm race track they got stuck several times, requiring the application of force in front and rear to loosen them.

The party took dinner at the hotel, whose bill of fare once caused at least one Portsmouth citizen to have the jim-jams for several days. They were treated very nicely, and say they have paid much more for a much worse dinner. Among other things on the menu were chicken, frogs, cake, three kinds of pie, sweet potatoes, etc.

To Play In Lucasville.

Sherd Henson and Jack Holliday, the battery of the Manhattan ball club went to Lucasville today, where they will help a ball club from that village do a Piketon nine.

Baltimore's Commander Very Ill.

TACOMA, Wash., Sept. 15.—Capt. W. H. Bridgeman, late commander of the cruiser Baltimore, who arrived here a month ago on a leave of absence, is dangerously ill with Asiatic fever contracted in Corea, and is not expected to live.

Mrs. Gonger Loses Her Suit.

BOSTON, Sept. 15.—The libel suit of Mrs. Helen Gonger against Congressman Elijah A. Morse was concluded in the United States circuit court Friday. The jury brought in a verdict for the defendant.

Austria Increasing Her Army.

BUDA PESTH, Sept. 15.—The sessions of the delegations opened here Friday morning. The Austro-Hungarian budget for 1895 shows an increase of expenses of over $4,000,000 florins, all for the army.

Rain Extinguishes Forest Fires.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Sept. 15.—Heavy rains fell throughout the state Friday, and reports Friday night from the fire-threatened districts are to the effect that the rain has quenched fires which have been smoldering.

Hanging in New Mexico.

SANTA FE, N. M., Sept. 15.—James Barrett, murderer, was executed by Sheriff Kemp at Eddy, Friday afternoon. Barrett was a railroad man from Missouri, who killed John Holihan.

A Virginia Murder.

HALLWOOD, Va., Sept. 15.—John H. Fisher was shot and instantly killed by William and Arthur Wright, brothers. Fisher accused Wm. Wright of setting fire to his fodder stacks.

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EVIDENCES of prosperity on every hand. Mills of all kinds resuming work. Hands in some iron and woolen mills promised an increase of wages. It sounds queer after 20 or 30 years of constant price reduction, nevertheless we are just entering on a period of better markets, better prices and better wages. The manufacturers with free raw material or with cheaper raw material will go to work to make cheaper goods. He will sell more because they are cheaper. He will manufacture more because he must sell more. He will pay better wages because he demands more hands to do his work and with a big demand for labor comes higher wages. Republicans told us if the Mills bill were adopted our factories would shut their doors and quit. The Wilson bill, as it became a law, is more extreme than the Mills bill and yet we have not heard a single concern closing its doors or putting out its fires. But just the opposite is true. They are beginning to run on double time. Woolen goods were cut more than any other manufactured article and it shows most signs of increased activity. Already Philadelphia is moving to establish a wool exchange so as to have the world's sales there as they have been at London. All this means business and business means money. The croakers are all disappearing and long before this time next year they all will be rejoicing in the Democratic prosperity and each and all will be saying, I told you so.

THE Democrats of Ohio will assemble next Wednesday in Columbus to consult and prepare for the contest this fall in the state. A Democratic congress has given us a reform tariff bill, but many claim it is not sweeping enough in its reduction, and are calling upon the Democrats of Ohio to censure Senator Brice for the part he has acted in its passage. It is evident that Senator Brice sacrificed his own interests and worked constantly for the passage of the bill. In the light of subsequent events it is evident that his efforts had much to do in the passage of the Senate bill at all. There were some few Senators that would never consent to certain clauses of the bill, as for instance, Hill, and the Louisiana senator, Smith. Mr. Brice was not the advocate of an income tax, but he supported it, and to him we are indebted for the present tariff and the overthrow of McKinleyism. It is true there are some features of the bill that are not what they should be, yet there is another session of this congress, and another opportunity will be given to eliminate the features of the bill objectionable to the Democracy. It behooves us to make no mistakes in punishing one, whom, perhaps, when all is known, is the party's best friend. Nothing can be gained. There is another year before Senator Brice comes before the people, and we should hesitate to act upon the assertions of men who are the enemies of the party or the beneficiaries of the administration. We give here an explanation of Senator Brice's course, which is worthy of the attention of all good Democrats. We have not always indorsed what we believed to be his action in the senate, yet we are willing to give the Senator the benefit of the doubt and concede the claims of his friends as given below.

"When all the facts are known it is probable that all the people will have more confidence in the men who were responsible for the tariff bill than they have at present. The new tariff is spoken of as the Gorman bill and the Brice bill, and these terms are applied to it by the extremists in the Democratic party and the Republicans. It comes from the persons who are opposed to the Democratic organization—the organization which made success possible and which gave the Democrats control of both branches of congress and the administration. The conservative people of the country will say that this is the kind of a tariff that is wanted. It is not so high that people can not receive the benefits of foreign competition, nor yet is it so low that the foreigners can introduce immense amounts of goods into this country and break down the home manufactories and leave the people at the mercy of the foreign producer entirely. It may take some time for the country to fully understand this, but when it does it will not regard the tariff bill in the unfavorable light in which some of the friends of so-called tariff reform would be willing to place it.

No one ever heard Mr. Brice complain of having the bill bear his name. He never complains of anything for that matter. He may have opinions of men who agree to do certain things, and when they find that it is unpopular for the moment break away from their agreements, but he does not make any great complaint even of this kind of people. He takes it as a matter of course that there will be a certain number of them in every organization. He has found a few in the senate. This was what made it so hard to secure the forty-three votes necessary to pass the tariff bill. They were finally found, and by the most adroit management were held together. It was a part of the duty of Mr. Brice to hold them together. The way he did it may be told some day. All the facts are not now known.

At all events a bill was passed in the senate which had a bare majority of three, with one of them openly opposed to the bill, leaving a margin of one to work on. This was what the Ohio senator found when he counted up the votes to pass the bill. He was one of the Democratic managers. His business sagacity and keen understanding were employed to secure a bill and to hold 43 votes together until it was passed. With the utmost good nature he went about his task of conciliating where he could and conceding where he had to.

It was easy to see, and everybody knows who has been at all observant, that a radical bill could not pass the senate. No man living could have drawn such a bill. Mr. Brice secured from over four thousand reputable men in his state views as to what the tariff ought to be. And he has had incorporated in the bill the middle ground, the medium between both extremes, so far as it was practicable. His own good judgment of what a tariff bill ought to be was assisted from reports from his own people.

That was one reason why he became the most interesting figure in the whole tariff struggle. He did not make any long speeches, but he did a great deal of work. He did not denounce the administration for the attempts which were made to force the senate from its position. Mr. Brice knew as well as any other man knew, that if the senate attempted to recede from the position it had taken when 43 votes were pledged for the bill that it would have been defeated.

Mr. Brice came in for more abuse than any man, and was heralded everywhere as the agent of the sugar trust, and as one of the men who was holding up all tariff legislation unless sugar was taken care of. The only answer Mr. Brice ever made to these accusations, save in vindicating himself before the sugar investigating committee, was to say that a duty on sugar was a part of the plan of the administration. This was long in advance of the letter of Cleveland to Wilson, in which the president advocated a duty on sugar, and which was later confirmed by a letter from Secretary Carlisle, when it seemed possible that a free sugar bill might be sent to the president. Even in the last letter which Cleveland wrote to Catchings sugar is not mentioned, and it is only coal and iron ore which seems to interest him. The duty on either of these articles does not cut any figure, except to thousands of miners in various portions of the United States.

During the fight the Ohio senator was serene. He applied the same methods which have made him such a successful man in the past. He always talked freely to the newspaper men, and he told them what was going on. He knew more about it than any other senator, and he did not try to deceive any one. "My object is to get a tariff bill," he said, "which will repeal the McKinley law. For myself, I will vote for any bill which will command 43 Democratic votes. It took us about three months to make such a bill. It is now our object to pass it as soon as possible."

When the bill had finally passed and was in conference another struggle began. Although the administration was with the senate upon the ticklish question of sugar, the public was made to believe that it was on the side of the house and fighting with the house for free sugar. It took some time for the house and the people to learn this, but when it became known the house took the bill, and Cleveland allowed it to become a law. It was while the bill was in conference that Senator Brice manifested some uneasiness. When the Democrats threatened to break away from the caucus agreement and change the bill in some particulars, its fate was somewhat doubtful. It was Senator Brice who got, or rather forced, Vilas to come back into line when he was going wrong. If Vilas had persisted in his motion to force off the one-eighth differential on sugar, the bill would then and there have been indefinitely postponed. It took a caucus to convince Vilas of it but he finally knew where the matter stood. Subsequently, when the attempt was being made to change the bill in conference, it was Brice who found out that enough Democratic senators had agreed among themselves to defeat the bill if the senate ever got possession of it again. It was Brice who convinced the house leaders and the administration that such was the case; and then followed the action of the house in passing the bill which is now a law, and which even its enemies are obliged to admit is a good law.

The bill had a very narrow margin when it passed the senate on July 3. Caffery, of Louisiana voted against it. Blanchard threatened to. No one could tell what the Populists would do. It has since been learned that the Louisiana senators were told by Mr. Brice that if they voted against the bill because it did not provide for a bounty on sugar for this year that the appropriation bills pending in the senate committee on appropriations, of which he was a member, would be amended so as to repeal the McKinley bounty. If they took a stand that would defeat tariff legislation their state would suffer. Before the roll-call was over both voted for the bill.

"If a man only will go steadily ahead and refuse to be startled out of the right course, by the waves of public opinion, which sometimes misguide, and by the fierce denunciations of political opponents," said Mr. Brice one day, "when he was the target of the most virulent abuse, "he will find that he will come out all right in the end. If a man under these conditions undertakes to please everybody he pleases nobody and becomes dissatisfied with himself. In these days you cannot change your course under stormy conditions any more than a modern ocean liner can change hers at the shifting of every wind and tide."

But then the Ohio senator was looking farther ahead than many of the others who were getting ready to desert. "Its result I am after," he remarked one day. "I can't go into details about this thing. A schedule here and there may be too high or too low, but the general result is a great improvement over the McKinley law and that is what I am fighting for."

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FOR SUNDAY READING.

A STRANGER.

I strolled along a city street
One smiling Sabbath morn;
The May-day sun beat down to greet
The blossoms newly born.
A balmy scent was on the breeze,
A fragrance on the air,
While songs of birds among the trees
Spoke gladness everywhere.

I came beside an open door
Where groups were entering
As soon as I crossed the threshold door
Sweet chimes began to ring.
A Sabbath joy was in the tone,
A gladsome welcome in,
Like that sweet peace which all have known
Whose souls are washed of sin.

I passed within the temple door,
A feast before me lay,
And many hungry souls were there
To sup with Christ that day.
I paused as some unbidden guest,
And bowed unworthily;
But Christ's dear love rose up and blessed,
Faith's garment giving me.

Though I was but a stranger there,
I entered with the throng:
My heart ascended with the prayer,
My spirit sang their song.
And when I bowed in reverent mood
To hear the blessing given,
I felt indeed it had been good
To taste this peace from Heaven.

Our Lord was ruler of the feast:
He blessed the bread and wine;
And those who leaned upon His breast
Beheld His glory shine.
Then this sweet thought came in my heart,
Like God's own word to me:
"If thou be...re, where'er thou art
His feast is spread for thee."

The Father's love shall always find
His saints who work and pray;
Within His house the children find
His feast is spread alway.
O Stranger! fear not yet to come,
For all of Christ's are kin.
Be welcome to your Father's house—
His own shall enter in.

—Sylvia Brown, in Chicago Advance.

RELIGION IN BUSINESS.

Serving God in Our Daily Duties Will Make Toil a Source of Real Joy.

Secular work, so far from being a hinderance to spiritual culture, as many imagine, may be made a help to holy living. The attention, consideration, patience, and self-repression which are required in business are in themselves a discipline of character, and in a good man must tend to confirm and strengthen the corresponding graces. Then there are the cares and uncertainties of business which can not fail to have a positive reflex influence on the spiritual life. The miscarriage of so many of our own plans should confirm our faith in the goodness and wisdom of providence, and be a constant reminder of our dependence upon the Almighty. The fluctuation to which all worldly things are liable should send us oftener to Him who changeth not, and whose love is the only enduring portion. Our success and our gains should lift up our hearts to the Giver of all good, without whose blessing prosperity becomes a calamity and temporal gain an inconceivable misfortune. The perfidy of the deceitful and the roguery of the unscrupulous should incite us value more highly the truthfulness of God. And, above all, the remembrance that we brought nothing into the world and will carry nothing hence should constrain us to "seek first the kingdom of God, and His righteousness." Thus the gulf between the secular and the sacred will be filled up, their jarring will be changed into harmony, and the consciousness that we are serving God not less in our business engagements and household duties than when presenting our praises and petitions, will make toil what it was in Eden—a source of real joy; and thus it will be impossible to tell where the secular ends and the spiritual begins, for both will unite in one mighty stream of activity and feeling.

Such a consummation, and one so devoutly to be wished, is only attainable by entire consecration to the Lord. First give Him yourselves, that He may save and sanctify you; then give Him your time and your talents—all you have and all you are. Associate Christ, in spirit at least, with all you do, doing all as His servants, and with a view to His glory. Do nothing upon which you can not ask His blessing; embark on no enterprise which you can not ask Him to prosper. And for the rest, I would simply add in closing: Carry your religious candor and uprightness into your business; bring your business activity and energy into your religion. Make your religion a part of your work, and your work a part of your religion; let the same high sense of duty inspire you in the one and in the other; let a scrupulous conscientiousness characterize all you do, whether it be secular or spiritual; let Christ be your Alpha and Omega, and let His favor be prized above the profits of business. Above all, ever bear in mind that your chief end in life is not to provide for this world, which you must soon leave, but to glorify God and to enjoy Him forever; and then, day by day, you will find this problem of how to harmonize the secular with the sacred solving itself; but be sure of this, it will only be on the lines indicated in our text: "Whatsoever ye do in word or in deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus."—Rev. George Davidson.

PITHY SAYINGS.

Sharp Blasts Heard and Re-Echoed from the Ram's Horn.

No man who looks high can live low.

No man can ever pray right who lives wrong.

The religion that costs nothing does nothing.

Be a blessing and you will be one to receive one.

Faultfinding is one of the surest marks of a backslider.

True Christianity always works well between Sundays.

An oath is the devil's admission that the Bible is true.

The devil trembles when he finds a good man on his knees.

Things said and done in love always bring forth good fruit.

Read the Bible much and you will always find it new.

A good prayer meeting always begins before the bell rings.

We have no more right to think wrong than we have to do wrong.

The devil leads the man who is not living for some good object.

When God finds a man He can trust with money He soon fills his pockets.

God will not smile upon the man who is frowning upon his brother.

If we would know God, we must first love Him and our neighbor.

The smallest man on the face of the earth is the one who sees only himself.

If your prayers get too far apart the devil will get between your sins and God.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

International Lesson for September 16, 1894—Jesus at Jacob's Well—John 4: 9-26.

(Specially arranged from Peloubet's notes.)

GOLDEN TEXT.—Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst.—John 4: 14.

PLACE IN THE HISTORY.—First year. Sixth event.

TIME.—December, A. D. 27. About eight months after the last lesson.

PLACE.—Samaria, at Jacob's well, near Sychar, at the foot of Mount Gerizim.

FEASTS IN A. D. 27.—Passover, April 9; Pentecost, May 30; Tabernacles, October 4.

JESUS—Now about thirty-one years old, at the close of his first year's ministry, chiefly in Judea. John the Baptist preaching at Enon, near the Jordan between Jericho and the Sea of Galilee.

LESSON NOTES.

Jesus' Journeys from Judea to Samaria.—The larger part of the first year of His ministry Jesus spent in Judea. It was now winter. He had been so successful in gaining disciples, chiefly from those John had taught and prepared, that His disciples increased faster than those of John, who himself had said: "He must increase, but I must decrease." This was the fruit and proof of John's success. But, seeing that remaining in Judea might cause friction between His disciples and those of John, and that the Pharisees would foment this feeling and arouse opposition, and wishing to seek freer fields of labor, where He could nurture the infant church, Jesus decided to leave Judea and spend some time in Galilee. The province of Samaria lay between, and He, with His disciples, began the journey on foot.

Jesus Resting by Jacob's Well.—The road from Judea to Galilee led by the town of Sychar, a part of the ancient Shechem, and Jacob's well or fountain (Gen. 33:18-20). It is on a knoll, really a spur of Gerizim, eighteen feet high. Approaching, we find an irregular, open space, or chamber, cut out some six feet in the ground, and walled up on the sides. It was originally nearly square—say seventeen by fifteen feet. An archway once spanned the chamber. In the center of this chamber is the well. It is nine feet in diameter, and for a distance of some twelve feet is carefully walled up. Thence downward it is solid rock. Maundrell, in 1697, found it to be one hundred and five feet deep. A dozen years ago an Arab was let down into the well, and by measuring the rope it was found to be seventy-five feet deep, and quite dry at the bottom. The thirty feet of rubbish at the bottom covered up the water.

He Asks a Samaritan woman for a Drink of Water:—While His disciples went to the city half a mile away to buy food, a Samaritan woman came to the well to draw water, probably for the laborers in the field, for there was water to drink nearer Sychar. Jesus, having no means of drawing water for Himself, asked her to give Him a drink.

She asks in surprise and perhaps pleasure, "How is it that Thou, being a Jew," etc. She recognized Him as a Jew either by His speech or His dress. "For the Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans," a remark thrown in by the writer to give the reason for her surprise. They have no dealings of friendly intercourse. "This ill-will, however, did not extend beyond familiar intercourse; for in such matters as buying and selling, intercourse was allowed. This is manifest both from Jewish writers and from the conduct of our Lord's disciples on the present occasion."

He Offers Her the Water of Eternal Life.—It is worth while to note here how often Jesus gives His best instruction, His choicest truths, in private conversation and to one hearer or a very few. It was the same in our last lesson. "If thou knewest the gift of God:" The living waters referred to below and salvation and eternal life which they produce, and the Messiah through whom they come. In a word, the whole Gospel of salvation as brought by Jesus Christ. "And who it is that saith." And that this Messiah that brings this salvation is now talking with you, and can give it to you. "Thou wouldst have asked of Him." Instead of His asking of thee, "thou" is emphatic. Spiritually, our positions are reversed. It is thou who art weary, and footsore, and parched, close to the well, yet unable to drink; it is I who can give thee the water from the well and quench thy thirst forever. "And He would have given thee living water." That is perennial, springing from an unfailing source (Gen. 26:19), ever flowing, fresh (Lev. 14:5). "Living water," then, denotes the gift of the Holy Spirit. This was preeminently the promised gift of the Father (see especially Isa. 44; Joel 2), beautifully and most aptly symbolized by the fresh, springing water, which, wherever it comes, makes the desert rejoice and everything live.

The Water of Life.—1. Every person has certain great thirsts of the soul. He is full of wants, of longings, of desires. He needs love, forgiveness, immortal life, the friendship of God, holiness, happiness, knowledge, usefulness, Heaven, a larger sphere and broader life. The larger the soul, the more and greater are its thirsts. Civilization, progress, goodness, always increase the thirsts of the soul. The number and quality of these thirsts are the measure of the man. 2. This world, its work, its ambition, its pleasures can never satisfy the soul. 3. Jesus Christ, by the living waters he gives, satisfies every thirst of the soul. As many sided as man is, so many sided is the religion of Jesus.

LESSONS LEARNED AT JACOB'S WELL.

We should be ready in season and out for the Lord's work.

A single soul, even the poorest and most obscure, is worthy of all our efforts, of our time, our earnestness, our best truth.

The way to gain a person is often to ask a small service from him.

Prejudice of race, of social position, of personal feeling often prevents men from recognizing the good in others, and from doing good to them.

Christianity breaks down such prejudice. The true church welcomes all, regardless of caste.

Elephants in Africa.

The elephant of Africa is still a tolerably abundant animal. Its numbers, though doubtless diminished by more than one-half within this century, are probably to be counted by the hundred thousand. Nevertheless, in less than one hundred years the field which is occupied has been greatly reduced, and between the ivory hunter and the sportsman, armed with guns of ever-increasing deadliness, it will certainly not require another century of free shooting to annihilate the African species.

HERE AND THERE.

Some of the "Figs and Thistles" of the Ram's Horn.

Borrowed clothes never fit.

The devil hates a schoolhouse.

A lie always robs those who believe it.

You began your eternal life at your birth.

A profane tongue plays the devil's music.

Unrepented sin is a promissory note to the devil.

The heathen were not all born in a heathen country.

When you use an oath you defy God and serve the devil.

Death only changes the surroundings not the eternity.

Most people believe in the total depravity of somebody else.

The day that does not begin with prayer does not begin right.

God's peace is only for those who do not fear the devil's war.

A drop of dew tries as hard to do God's will as a thunderstorm.

All Heaven listens when we send up a heartfelt prayer for an enemy's good.

The man who takes God for his guide will not long have to travel in the dark.

The love that will not suffer long and remain kind, is not the kind that comes from God.

When people get to quarreling about their creeds, the devil stops being anxious about their deeds.

There is something wrong in the Christianity of the man who never prays for people he don't like.

Many a man refuses to love his neighbor as himself because he has a garden and his neighbor keeps hens.

The gift that is always pleasing in the eye of God is the one that is anointed with the blood of self-sacrifice.

If you love your enemies and do good to those who despitefully use you, you are on the right road to Heaven.

The man who loves his neighbor as himself will not have to be taken into court to make him do what is right.

Job could believe that everything was all right in spite of appearance, because he knew that his Redeemer lived.

The love that never speaks until it does it on a gravestone isn't doing much to help bring the world to Christ.

Salvation doesn't depend so much upon what the head thinks about God, as upon what the heart is doing with Christ.

Get people to believe that it is indeed more blessed to give than to receive and the church entertainment will die a sudden death.

Safeguards Against Evil.

Be careful how you permit the gradual removal from your thinking and conduct of those safeguards against evil that were established by wise counselors in your early years. They are like fortress walls for your protection. It is estimated that about one million acres on the Atlantic and Baltic shores of Europe have become since the destruction of the forests a moving desert of sand dunes, rolling inland, burying the fertile soil and rendering the land barren by the sand showers sprinkled over it, while following the landward roll of the dunes came the restless march of the victorious sea. Like the removal of those forests is the removal, in both individual and national life, of loyalty to the precepts of the Bible and pious instruction. A way is opened for the incoming of a vast flood of evil.—Morning Star.

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Democratic State Convention.

HEADQUARTERS DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE, COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 15th, 1894.

The Democrats of Ohio are requested to meet in delegate convention in the City of Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 18th and 19th, 1894, to place in nomination candidates for the following offices, namely:

Secretary of State,
Judge of Supreme Court,
State School Commissioner,
Member Board of Public Works.

The basis of representation to said convention is, one delegate for each 500 or each fraction of 250 or over of the number of votes cast for Grover Cleveland for president in 1892. All the delegates to the state convention shall be individually selected by the several counties and reported to the committee on credentials, as mass delegations will not be recognized.

The Democrats of each and every county are requested to select their local committee and report the same to the Chairman of the State Central Committee on or before Sept. 1st. This report should include the names and P. O. addresses of each precinct and ward Committeeman, and the name and P. O. address of the Chairman and Secretary of the Executive or Campaign Committee for the ensuing year.

In the convention, each county will be entitled to the following representation:

Adams	6	Jackson	12
Allen	10	Logan	7
Ashland	6	Lorain	7
Ashtabula	6	Lucas	20
Athens	4	Madison	5
Auglaize	7	Mahoning	13
Belmont	12	Marion	7
Brown	8	Medina	4
Butler	16	Meigs	5
Carroll	6	Mercer	7
Champaign	6	Miami	9
Clark	11	Monroe	5
Clermont	8	Montgomery	25
Clinton	4	Morgan	4
Columbiana	14	Morrow	4
Coshocton	7	Muskingum	12
Crawford	10	Noble	4
Cuyahoga	51	Ottawa	6
Darke	16	Paulding	4
Defiance	7	Perry	7
Delaware	8	Pickaway	8
Erie	7	Pike	4
Fairfield	9	Portage	6
Fayette	4	Preble	8
Franklin	3	Putnam	5
Fulton	4	Richland	11
Gallia	4	Ross	9
Geauga	4	Sandusky	8
Greene	5	Scioto	9
Guernsey	8	Seneca	11
Hamilton	35	Shelby	6
Hancock	10	Stark	20
Hardin	7	Summit	13
Harrison	4	Trumbull	9
Henry	4	Tuscarawas	11
Highland	7	Union	4
Hocking	5	Van Wert	5
Holmes	4	Vinton	4
Huron	7	Warren	8
Jackson	5	Washington	9
Jefferson	7	Wayne	9
Knox	7	Williams	5
Lake	4	Wood	9
Lawrence	4	Wyandot	6

By order of the Democratic State Central Committee. C. D. CRIPPS, Chairman.
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CHRISTIAN,

Corner of Third and Gay streets, W. A. Harp, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and Christian Endeavor prayer service at 6:30 p. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "God for Us;" evening subject, "Hiding from God." A welcome for all.

SIXTH STREET M. E.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.; preaching by pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Invisible Mountain;" evening subject, "God's Man; a Character Study." On Monday night the last meeting for the year of the official board will be held. At 7:30 p. m. Friday the fourth quarterly conference will be held by Presiding Elder Haddox. All are welcome to the regular services.

BIGELOW M. E.

E. L. McElroy, pastor; Capt. E. E. Ewing, superintendent. Pastor's subject for 11 o'clock: "Religion and Its Rich Accompaniments." Junior league, led by Miss May Marwell, at 4 p. m. Epworth league, led by Miss Amilla Sowers, at 6:30 p. m. Pastor's evening sermon: "Mistaken Monuments." All seats free, the stranger and traveling man always welcome.

GERMAN PRESBYTERIAN.

Corner of Seventh and Chillicothe street, J. A. Toensmeyer, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m., Adam Young superintendent. Young People's meeting 6:30 p. m.. Instead of the regular morning service, the preaching will be in the English language. Licentiate Emile S. Toensmeier of Lebanon, Tenn., a brother of the pastor, will preach. All are welcome.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN.

Corner of Eighth and Waller streets, Rev. S. Gobiet pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m. S. O. Titus, superintendent. Preaching morning and evening, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Morning theme, "The Ravages of a Spark and the Lessons of a Great Fire." Evening subject, "The Elders of Life." Sunday school on Twelfth street at 2:30 p. m. Everybody welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Southwest corner of Third and Court. Rev. D. S. Tappan, D. D., pastor; Dr. C. P. Dennis, Sunday school superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon: "The True Purpose of Life and the Best Preparation for Death. Evening: "A Seal Having Two Sides." Sabbath school and pastor's bible class at 9 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is given to everybody to attend all these services.

MANLY M. E.,

Corner of Clay and Eleventh streets, Jas. F. Steele pastor, residence on Campbell avenue between Sixth and Seventh streets. Sunday school at 9 a. m., Jos. E. Davis superintendent. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. by Rev. W. A. Hunter, pastor of Portsmouth circuit, followed by the communion service. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by Rev. L. C. Haddox, P. E. Junior League meeting at 2 p. m. Quarterly love feast at 3:30 p. m. Fourth quarterly conference on Monday at 7:30 p. m., conducted by Rev. L. C. Haddox. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Epworth League meeting on Friday at 7:30 p. m., J. Clark McCurdy president.

In Memoriam.

In loving memory of Mamie, the little daughter of James and Ellen Slocum. She departed this life September 12th, aged 20 months and three days, after a hard illness of 5 days, and was buried in the Slocum cemetery, the 13th.

Only Mamie the people say.
Who see the funeral on its way:
Only Mamie, yet Christian thought
A gem which by the Savior's blood was bought.

A stranger passed by the new made bed,
And Mamie aged twenty months read;
Ere he passes in he turns to say,
Somebody's treasure laid away.

Only Mamie, the mother turns
With heart that aches and eyes that burn,
To leave the place where last they lay
The little form of lifeless clay.

Only Mamie, but forever more
A happy angel on heaven's shore;
And while we miss her here below
That she is safely housed we rejoice to know.

—Mrs. Annie Jenkins.

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LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

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Everything will be in time with the fire works Wednesday night. The grounds are being beautifully illuminated by incandescent lights, and the air will be filled with the sweetest music.

Don't miss seeing the Liberty Bell.

IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Councilman James Adams Has a Pleasant Week's Outing in Clay County.

Councilman James Adams returned yesterday from a combined business and pleasure trip to West Virginia, putting in the time at Charleston and in Clay county. In company with a relative he went to the latter county to make an examination of a tract of land of some 2,000 acres which had belonged to his grandfather, and which by some neglect on the part of the heirs had been permitted to be sold for taxes. The land had been purchased years ago by Mr. Adams' grandfather for the munificent sum of ten or fifteen cents an acre. A number of eastern capitalists have purchased land in Clay county recently, a railroad is being built through it while the value of the land has gone up considerably owing to the discovery of coal and other minerals. This coming to the ears of the Adams family and the five years which is allowed for the redemption of land sold for taxes not having expired yet, the heirs concluded to investigate the matter and see if it were worth while for them to redeem the land.

Accordingly Mr. Adams and another relative made the trip to Clay county this week, part of their route being up the Elk river, a beautiful little stream not far from the mouth of Big Sandy, which flows through the Adams tract. The gentlemen were much encouraged over their investigation. They found that the proposed new railroad, now being constructed, will pass through their land, while coal in abundance was located. In one part of the farm Mr. Adams discovered a six foot vein. As a result they decided to redeem the land, and on their return to Charleston, placed the necessary sum in the hands of the auditor of the state, who will proceed to dispossess the present claimants. In the course of a few years the land will undoubtedly be very valuable.

Of course a trip to the wilds of West Virginia would not be complete without a "story" of some kind, and Mr. Adams has one—and a corker too—not of thrilling adventure with lawless moonshiners, but one about fish. He says that the Elk river is undoubtedly one of the most perfect fishing grounds in the country, but evidently this fact had not yet been discovered by disciples of Izaak Walton for fish were very abundant.

"Why," said Mr. Adams growing enthusiastic, "there were some of the finest fish I ever saw, and so numerous that although I was in the cars many feet away I could see them swimming along on the water. I tell you it was great!"

The reporter agreed with him that it must have been great. Mr. Adams enjoyed his outing immensely and will give those fish a whirl next season.

PORTSMOUTH PRESBYTERY.

The Fall Session Held at Eckmansville, Adams County, This Week.

The fall session of the Presbytery of Portsmouth was held this week at Eckmansville, seven miles south of Winchester. A Sunday school institute was held in connection under the auspices of the committee, Revs. Hutchison, of Jackson, and Gobiet, of the Second Presbyterian church. The delegates from Portsmouth were Revs. Tappan, Toensmeier and Gobiet, Messrs. Johnson, Dr. J. P. Bing and the Misses Della Tappan and Knowles.

They report a most delightful session of two days and royal entertainment, where everything that country bountifulness and generosity could furnish was provided for their comfort and pleasure. Four hundred were fed at one table in a dinner served under the shade trees in the church yard. Mr. E. S. Toensmeier, Rev. Mr. Toensmeier's brother, was licensed to preach after a very creditable examination passed. He goes to his field in New Carlisle, Pa. The delegates returned home Thursday evening.

WAYS TO GET RICH.

THE road to fortune is paved with printer's ink.

SHEKELS and sense are necessary in successful advertising.

GET something people want, advertise it wisely and it is sure to pay.

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SUCCESS in business is paved by the typesetter and made smooth by the printing press.

BREVITY is the soul of defeat in some advertising. Grain won't grow to fruitfulness the day it is planted.

THE advice of a bishop to a young preacher applies equally well to an advertiser: "Have something to say. Say it. Stop."

THE men who fail and go down in oblivion belong to the class who never advertise, advertise occasionally or only as they think their trade will warrant.

THERE may be a double meaning in the misspelled sign in South Brooklyn: "For Sail—A sloop yacht of forty-five tons. Apply to owner, Third avenue, Bay Ridge."

AN advertisement should tell the whole story in the least number of words, carefully selected and easily comprehended. The display should be adapted to the medium used.

TO CATCH the eye is the first requisite in an advertisement; what follows should be so well put together as to excite the reader's interest and claim his attention to the end.—Printer's Ink.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had bad colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

TIMES ARE CHANGED.

An Old Woman's Reflections on the Virtues of Long Ago.

"Law," said one of the wealthiest old ladies in Clarke county, Ind., the other day, according to the Louisville Commercial, "girls are not what they used to be. This is the first time that I have been in town for thirty years, and I had no idea that there was any such carryings-on. Why, there is a man who works for a living at so much per week, and his family has a carriage, and they spend nearly everything he makes. The dinners they have at their houses are nicer than I have, and their children are dressed finer than any I ever saw before. I reared fifteen children myself, but none of them ever had such clothes as those children of this man have. Still, all of mine now have good farms and bank accounts, and go to church, and try to be Christians. When I was married my husband had a horse and I owned a cow. They were all that we had. We rented a place, and now we not only own that place, but several more in that neighborhood, besides some business property in Louisville. I have never worked hard, and have enjoyed myself in a quiet way. These people who are spending everything they get, and would be in a bad fix if the husband were suddenly thrown out of work, can hardly be having a better time than I am, because they must be continually worrying as to how long they can keep it up. I am positively alarmed when I think of it myself. These are the kind of people that fill the almshouses. Everybody can save, unless there is sickness in the family."

A THREE-EYED LIZARD.

One of the Most Striking Curiosities of the Reptilian Kingdom.

"Speaking of lizards, the queerest one we have seen for a long time reached us the other day from New Zealand," says a scientist in the Washington correspondence of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. "It is named the 'cyclopean lizard' because it has a third eye on the top of its head. However, it is not a true lizard, but a sort of connecting link between the lizards and the turtles. The species is limited to a small island near New Zealand, and it has been rendered almost entirely extinct by hogs with a taste for its flesh. It attains a length of three feet, but all of the big ones were eaten up long ago. The third eye is rudimentary, but a dissection of its structure plainly reveals the eye socket, the lens, and a strand of nerves connecting the visual tract of the brain.

"This eye is interesting chiefly because it corresponds to the third eye with which every human being is provided. The so-called 'pineal gland' is actually an eye that has become rudimentary. The gland is about the size and shape of a pea, and is situated in the middle of the head. Place the end of your finger just above the bridge of your nose, on a level with the eyes, and directly behind that point five inches is the gland. It still retains somewhat the structure of an eye. The ancients supposed it to be the center of consciousness and the seat of the soul."

PERT PARROTS.

Cute Sayings Attributed to the Talkative Birds.

There is no end to the stories about parrots. We all doubtless remember the cheeky bird at the parrot show, which, uncovered last of all among the competitors, placed his head knowingly on one side, and ejaculated: "My eye! what a lot of parrots!"—of course securing the prize. A Boston man has a parrot that puts its claw before its face, and shyly croaks: "Polly had a letter this morning—an offer of marriage for Polly!" and a Philadelphia parrot earnestly adjures the children to "Hurry up to school—last bell is ringing—you'll be late!" Another poor parrot was owned by a young man who tried to teach it to welcome a rich relative with the words: "Good morning, uncle!" The bird was slow to learn, so he lost his temper, took the bird by the neck and shook it, exclaiming, angrily: "Say 'good morning, uncle,' you fool!" The next day the young man heard a terrible noise in the hennery. On making his way there, he found three hens dead on the floor, while on a perch in the corner was the parrot, holding a hen by the throat, and shrieking: "Say 'good morning, uncle,' you fool!"

A STONE SHIP.

The Mysterious Formation Seen on the Pacific Coast.

The mystery of the strange bark that three ship captains have reported stranded on a reef fifteen miles west of the Straits of Le Maire, with all masts and rigging standing, seems to be solved. A few days ago, says the San Francisco Call, a vessel reached Lodnon and reported having passed within a short distance of the deserted bark, and interest was renewed in the thrice-reported stranded vessel. All agreed in saying it was an iron ship, and most likely of German construction. It was bark rigged, and had black painted portholes. Shipping and insurance men have been trying to determine the name of the wrecked bark, but without success. No vessel of its description should be anywhere in the vicinity of the Horn, and none is overdue at any port that would pass within thousands of miles of the spot.

It is not likely that it could be taken for the Crown of Italy, which ran on a reef in the Straits of Le Maire about two and a half years ago. It was a full-rigged ship, and when it struck most of her masts went by the board. A few days afterward the sea was strewn with wreckage, and nothing was again seen of the wreck. A few days ago the British ship, Cedric the Saxon, arrived in port from Swansea, and it passed close to the spot where the mysterious bark has been seen. Capt. Rees tells a story which further complicates matters. He says the so-called bark is nothing but a rock, although its resemblance to a ship is so striking that he made an entry in his log to the effect that a ship was stranded, with all the rigging intact. He says that he was out fifteen miles when he first saw it, and was sure it was a wreck.

As he approached it he found it was a huge rock sticking out of the water. It was only about half a mile away, but even then its resemblance to a bark with painted ports was so striking that all hands had to be called for an opinion. The puzzle to the sea captains who have rounded the Horn dozens of times is that the strange rock has never been seen before.

Don't miss the fire works.

CONDENSED NEWS

Gathered From All Parts of the Country by Telegraph.

Democrats of the Seventh Minnesota congressional district nominated Mayor McLean.

Indian Commissioner Browing will visit the reservations in Minnesota and the Dakotas.

Controller Eckels was banqueted by the Grand Rapids clearing house and leading citizens.

George H. Lewis, of Black River Falls, was nominated for congress by acclamation by democrats.

Perry Ramsay was arrested on Coopers's Creek, W. Va., for counterfeiting coin of denominations from five cents to one dollar.

At Delphos, O., while celebrating the Catholic jubilee Carl Licklightner, 18 years old, lost his arm at the shoulder by the premature explosion of an improvised cannon, made by boring out a car axle.

Dr. George Henning, of Chicago, and Mrs. Elizabeth Pierce, of Jefferson county, O., were married at Wellsburg, W. Va., after having been engaged for five years, during which time they never communicated with each other.

Jesus Garcia Menchaca, a desperado and murderer, was killed on the street at Ciudad Porfirio, Diaz, Mex., by Jose Ramirez, a farmer, whom Menchaca abused and insulted. At least four murders are laid to Menchaca's charge. Of late he had published a paper.

Brainerd, Minn., is great shocked by the discovery that N. W. Wheatley, dealer in farm machinery, and one of the most prominent business men, is a defaulter to the amount of $20,000. He has been gone two months. He was treasurer of a building and loan society.

At Columbus, O., Albert Goldsborough, an ex-convict, attempted suicide Friday night by taking morphine, but was revived and taken to the city jail. He is a brother of Florence Goldsborough, who has created a series of sensations by committing numerous crimes in male attire.

The steamer New York, of the American line, from Southampton for New York, beat all records on the Southampton route, making the voyage in 6 days, 7 hours and 20 minutes. The previous best record was made by the New York when she made the run in 6 days, 8 hours and 38 minutes.

Thomas J. Taylor, a young man crazed by jealousy, shot and killed his handsome young wife at his residence in Washington Friday morning. Taylor afterward attempted to shoot himself, but his mortally wounded wife crying out that she was not hurt diverted his aim, and he only inflicted a flesh wound on himself. Lifting his wife up in his arms he then carried her to a sofa and sought to revive her, but she died soon afterward.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 14.

FLOUR—Spring patent, $3.25@3.50; do fancy at $2.75@2.90; do family at $2.50@2.65. Winter patent quotable at $2.55@2.90; fancy at $2.30@2.50 and family at $2.05@2.15; extra at $1.85@1.95; low grades at $1.70@1.80. Rye flour, northwestern, $2.65@2.70; city, $2.70@2.75.

WHEAT—No. 2 red is quotable at 62½c per bushel on track.

CORN—No. 2 white mixed, in elevator, at 60c; mixed car, track, 59c; No. 3 white, track, at 58½c.

OATS—No. 2, mixed, 32½c; rejected mixed, track, at 30½c.

RYE—Sales No. 2, track, at 55c.

CATTLE—Heavy steers, fair to good, $4.25@5.25; select butcher, $4.15@4.50; fair to good, $3.25@4.10; common to ordinary, $2.25@3.00. Heifers: Good to choice, $3.50@4.00; fair to medium, $2.75@3.45.

CALVES—Common and large, $2.50@4.50; fair to good light, $4.75@5.50; extra, $5.75@6.00.

HOGS—Select butcher, $6.35@6.40; packing, $5.75@6.30; common and rough, $4.75@5.70; light, $5.50@6.20; common to fair pigs, $4.25@5.75.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Sheep: Top wethers $3.00@3.50; good to choice ewes and wethers mixed, $2.25@3.00; common to fair, $1.00@2.00. Lambs: Good to choice, $3.50@4.25; common to fair, $1.75@3.25.

WOOL—Unwashed: Fine merino, per lb. 9@10c; quarter blood clothing, 12@13c; medium delaine and clothing, 13c; coarse, 13@14c; medium combing, 13@14c. Washed: Fine merino, X to XX, per lb. 10@12c; medium clothing, 15@16c; delaine fleece, 15@16c; long combing, 15@16c; quarter blood and low, 15@16c; common coarse, 16@17c; tub-washed, choice, 19@20c; tub-washed, average, 18c.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 14.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, spot, 55¼@55½c; October, 55⅝@55¾c; December, 58⅛@58⅜c; May 63½c asked.

CORN—Mixed spot and September, 59½c bid; year, 50½c bid.

OATS—No. 2 white western, 35@35½c; No. 2 mixed, 33@33½c.

RYE—Market firm; No. 2, 53c.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.

RYE—Market nominal.

WHEAT—No. 2 red store and elevator, 54¼@54½c; afloat, 58@58¼c; ungraded red, 53@58c; No. 1, 63½@6c.

CORN—No. 2 61½c elevator, 61½c afloat.

OATS—No. 2, 34c; No. 2 white, 37½@38c; No. 2 Chicago 35½@35⅝c; No. 3 33c; No. 3 white 36¾@37c; mixed western, 35@36c; white do, 37@40½c; white state, 37@40½c.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 14.

WHEAT—No. 2 red cash, 54½c; October, 51c; December, 56½c; May, 61c; No. 3 red cash, 53½c.

CORN—No. 2 mixed cash, 56½c; No. 3 yellow cash, 57½c.

OATS—Market nominal.

CLOVERSEED—Cash and October, $5.20; November, $5.25; February, $5.40.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 14.

CATTLE—Prime, $5.00@5.25; good, $4.25@4.70; good butchers', $3.60@4.00; rough fat, $2.75@3.40; fair light steers, $2.30@3.00; good fat cows and heifers, $2.10@3.00.

HOGS—Prime Philadelphias, $6.55@6.65; fair Philadelphias, $6.40@6.50; best Yorkers and mixed, $6.20@6.30; common to fair Yorkers, $5.75@6.00; pigs, $5.50@5.75; good sows, $5.25@5.75; stags and rough sows, $4.25@5.00.

SHEEP—Extras, $3.00@3.25; good, $2.10@2.40; fair, $1.25@1.60; common, 50c@$1.00; yearlings, $4.50@5.00. Veal calves, $5.50@6.00.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 14.

CATTLE—Market firm.

HOGS—Steady. Yorkers, good to choice, $6.40@6.50, medium and heavy weights, $6.55@6.65; few fancy, $6.70; grassers and Michigans, $5.75@5.80; choice heavy quotable, $6.70@6.85; pigs left at $5.50@5.60.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best native lambs, $4.15@4.40; good, $3.65@4.00; mixed sheep, $2.50@2.85; fair to good, $2.00@2.40; Canada lambs $4.25@4.50.

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.

Cash quotations: Flour steady and unchanged. No. 2 spring wheat, 53½@54½c; No. 3 spring wheat, nominal; No. 2 red, 53½@55½c; No. 2 corn, 54½c. No. 2 oats, 30½c; No. 2 white, 32½@32¾c. No. 3 white, 31½@33c; No. 2 rye, 47½c. No. 2 barley, 54½c, No. 3, 52@55c; No. 4, 52c.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 14.

CATTLE—Shipping steers, $3.75@5.50; helfers, $1.50@3.50; cows and bulls, $2.00@3.00; veals, $3.50@5.00.

HOGS—Good hogs, $6.00@6.75; pigs, $4.50@6.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 1,000 head. Fair to choice sheep, $1.50@2.75; lambs, $2.50@3.85.

Irving W. Larimore, physical director of Y. M. C. A. Des Moines, Iowa, says he can conscientiously recommed Chamberlain's Pain Balm to athletes, gymnasts, bicyclists, foot ball players and the profession in general for bruises, sprains and dislocations; also for soreness and stiffness of the muscles. When applied before the parts become swollen it will effect a cure in one half the time usually required. For sale by Fisher & Streich, druggists.

Don't miss the fire works.

PROGRESSIVE WOMEN.

QUEEN VICTORIA greatly dislikes a visitor who is shy and colors or looks agitated when addressed. At the finish of the interview the queen generally bows slightly or offers her hand, and then turns a little to one side to save the very trying necessity of an entirely backward exit from her presence.

THE empress of Austria has her hair shampooed once a month. It is still beautiful, luxuriant and perfectly black, and when let down touches the ground as she stands, and she is tall. It is said the hair wash requires forty eggs, and the other ingredients are obtained from no less than twenty mysterious bottles.

ONE of the best-known figures in Paris is Mme. Yoer, who, upon the death of her husband, a reporter for the French press, took up his work and has conducted it with marked enterprise. In her rounds she is accompanied by a great white poodle called "The Doctor," who permits no one to trifle with his mistress.

ONE of the authorities on decoration in England is Mrs. Comyns Carr. She is the wife of a successful theatrical manager, and to her ideas on stage decoration and costume he owes much of his success. Mrs. Carr has designed dresses for several of Mr. Irvings' plays, and is almost always Miss Terry's chief counselor on wardrobe matters.

Working for a Living.

Unfortunately there wasn't any of the members of this firm born with a gold, silver or even a babbit metal spoon in their mouth. That is to say none of us are independently rich by inheritance or otherwise. We hustle six days out of the week to be able to rest on the seventh with a clear conscience, and that is the reason we like hustlers in any line of life.

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8:50 pm—Norfolk Express—For Bluefield, Radford, Roanoke, Norfolk and all points on Main Line. Pullman Buffet Sleeper Columbus to Roanoke.

WEST BOUND.

5:15 am—Norfolk Express—Arrives at Columbus 8 30 am. Pullman Buffet car, Roanoke to Columbus. Arrives Chicago 7 35 pm, via Hocking Valley and C. & E. Rys.

10:28 am—Local Accommodation—Arrives Columbus 2 20 pm, makes all stops.

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THE CONVENTION.

It Wasn't Very Big but It Got There Just the Same.

The Selection of the County Ticket Left to Executive Committee.

A Resolution Offered by H. F. Thompson, Giving Delegates to State Convention a Few Instructions, Causes Some Discussion—The Old Central Committee Continued.

MORNING SESSION.

The Democratic county convention which convened in Gilson's hall, this morning, was not much of a convention we are sorry to say. In fact, it came very near not being any convention at all. Something antagonistic to the principles of the "dyed-in-the-wools" seemed to be in the air and prevented any tremendous outbreak of enthusiasm. Something was the matter that was evident, for the delegates were very, very slow in getting "round and about." A great many of them, in fact a large majority of them, failed to show up this morning at all. A few of the old wheel horses were there, however. They were men who are always on hand at Democratic meetings, and doing all in their power to preserve the party organization and win a victory. There were not very many of them present, hardly a corporal's guard in fact. But after waiting until 11 o'clock, standard time, they concluded to organize and adjourn until afternoon. This was done by the election of J. B. Gilson as chairman and H. F. Thompson as secretary. In taking th chair Mr. Gilson said it was an unexpected honor. He could assure the convention that for one he was still a Democrat. The convention then adjourned until 1 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The convention was very slow in getting together again in the afternoon. There was the same unaccountable scarcity of delegates that characterized the morning session. However, a stray Democrat came dropping around occasionally, and when the convention was called to order, the hall was very comfortably filled. There was a noticeable absence of delegates from the country, and accordingly when the convention was called to order by Chairman Gilson, the appointment of committees on credentials, rules and order of business and on resolutions was dispensed with. Capt. W. B. Williams offered a resolution that the present Democratic administration be indorsed. This prevailed unanimously.

Fred Rider, of the First ward, thought it would be a good idea to leave the places on the county ticket to be filled by the county executive committee, and made a motion to that effect. This was carried.

The chair appointed John C. Maddock, Capt. W. B. Williams and H. F. Thompson a committee to select delegates to the state convention.

It was decided to retain the old central committee by a unanimous vote, a motion by Mr. Rider that Messrs. Maddock, Williams and Thompson select the central committee having been withdrawn.

The following delegates to the state convention were reported by the committee: J. L. Patterson, Oscar Newman, Dan Dachler, W. B. Williams, M. Stanton and J. L. Morgan, of Lucasville. The report was adopted.

It was suggested by Delegate Kelley, from Union township, that the convention endorse John B. Violet, but that suggestion did not meet with a very enthusiastic reception by the convention.

H. F. Thompson then caused a little flurry by stating that he had noticed in the newspapers that a resolution censuring Senator Brice for his vote on the tariff question would be introduced to the state convention and that it had been published in the newspapers that Senator Brice had said that if such a vote of censure was passed he would resign. Mr. Thompson said he did not know whether this was true or not, but it had been boldly stated in the press. Accordingly he moved, that in the event of Senator Brice having made such a statement, and intended to resign in case such a vote of censure was passed, the delegation to the state convention be instructed to vote for the resolutions of censure. In explanation Mr. Thompson said that he did not regard Mr. Brice as being as big as the Democratic party.

Captain Williams was on his feet at once, in opposition to the resolution. He did not think it fair to the delegates to give them such instructions. If when they went to Columbus, they found that they would be in the wrong to vote for the censure resolution, they would still be in duty bound to vote for them. Personally he would retire from the delegation rather than go under such instructions. He would try to do what was for the interests of the party and thought he should be allowed to use his own judgment in the matter. He did not want to be tied up. Mr. Dan Dachler spoke in the same strain as did Mr. Williams. He did not think the convention ought to adopt the resolution of Mr. Thompson as there was no proof that Senator Brice had made the statements imputed to him, and it might be merely newspaper talk.

John Wilhelm here inquired that if Mr. Brice had made the statement that he would resign, would Mr. Williams then vote for the censure resolution.

In reply Mr. Williams said that had Senator Brice done anything against the interests of the Democratic party, he certainly would vote for the resolution. Both sides of the case would be presented in the convention, and he wanted to go there free to act according to his judgment.

Mr. Thompson said here that that was what he meant when he made the motion. That the delegation was to satisfy itself as to the truth or the falsity of the newspaper statement that Mr. Brice would resign in the event of censure resolutions being passed, and that in the event of this being true, then that the delegation be instructed to vote for the resolution. If Senator Brice thought he was a bigger man than the Democratic party of the state of Ohio, he should be censured. This did not bring into consideration his vote on the tariff question, but if he had made such statements as mentioned he was justly entitled to the censure of the Democrats of Ohio, as they can and will get along without him. It was not an uncommon thing for a convention to give a delegation instructions. He was not trying to tie up the delegation. For one he desired to put himself on record that if any man thought himself better than his party he was ready to set down on him at once.

Captain Williams then moved that the motion of Mr. Thompson be laid on the table, which carried.

The selection of delegates to the congressional and judicial conventions was left to the central committee.

The convention then adjourned.

THE PRIMARIES.

The primaries to select delegates to the county convention were held last evening at the usual places in the city. They were not as a rule very largely attended, Democrats quietly getting together and selecting delegates.

AN INCORRIGIBLE YOUTH.

A Very Fresh Young Man and a Drunken Woman in Mayor's Court.

Noah, the 14-year-old son of Frank Keffer, has given his father, the authorities, and everybody with whom he comes in contact, an immense amount of trouble for some time. He has been away from home for about two months during which time the police have been looking for him. But at the sight of a blue coat he would board a freight train and leave town. Last night the officers caught him and he is now locked up in the city prison. No formal charge has been filed against him, but it is suspected that he knows something about the burglary of Smith Bros. grocery a few nights ago.

Willie Whitaker is a very fresh young man. Yesterday Willie called at Mrs. Ella Beitz's house on Tenth street, and proceeded to make himself at home. The lady was washing at the time and ordered him away, but he refused to go, and Mrs. Beitz says, drew a revolver. He is charged with assault and threatening, but will stand trial.

Ogie Lewis, a female of rather shady reputation, was slated for intoxication and disorderly conduct. She will be allowed several days for repentance before being arraigned.

Two ordinary hobos were accommodated with lodging over night and released this morning.

Church Social.

The ladies of Manley M. E. Church will give a social at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Kirby corner of East Gallia and Lawson streets on Thursday evening September 20th. Ice cream and cake will be served at the usual prices. Many useful articles of wearing apparel will also be on sale at very reasonable prices. Everybody cordially invited.

The living pictures in the Liberty Bell are shown in a large gold frame, and as this will be the first time for them here great interest will be taken in them.

INDICTMENTS

For Vagrancy, Burglary, Rape, Incense, Assault, Shooting, Murder.

Twenty-Eight Bills Found Out of 46 Cases and 229 Witnesses.

The Report This Morning—An Editorial in the Blade Called to the Court's Attention—The Longest Session for Years—Other Doings in Court and County Offices.

The longest session of a grand jury in Scioto county for years closed this morning when the grand jury, which has been in session all week, made its report. It was a model jury, and the court took occasion in discharging them to compliment the diligence with which the work has been prosecuted and the consideration of the instructions of the court. During the six days they were in session 229 witnesses were examined, and of this number but one witness was allowed over one day's pay and that one was sent to Vanceburg, necessitating two days' work.

The work was so arranged that the witnesses were summoned as needed, and there was no delay in their examination.

The investigations covered 46 cases, of which 18 were ignored and true bills returned in the other 28 cases.

In case 2567, Ohio vs. Thomas Hughes et al., instead of an indictment the jury returned a recommendation under the provisions of section 755 of the revised Statutes, which authorizes the court to commit boys to the reform school upon recommendation of the grand jury. For want of material testimony the jury passed for the consideration of the next grand jury, cases 2575, Ohio vs. Wesley M. Gray; No. 2590, Ohio vs. Eli Koch; and No. 2606, Ohio vs. Madaline Fuhr.

The grand jury also visited the county jail and reported that the rules of the court for the care of the jail have been observed and no provisions for the regulation of the jail have been violated.

After the report had been read by the clerk, Prosecuting Attorney Milner addressed the court, saying that by the unanimous request of the jury he desired to call the attention of the court to an editorial in last night's Blade. The article in question reflected on the methods of procedure in the grand jury room and commented uncomplimentary upon the work. The members of the jury were individually and collectively very warm under the collar and resented the uncalled for and unreasonable criticism. The court took the matter under consideration. The article in question criticised the idea of accepting the testimony of a witness who turns state's evidence, implying that such evidence was being received in the investigation of the prize light matter. The article was evidently calculated to influence the action of the jury.

Among the indictments were some against all the prisoners in the county jail except James Minturn, charged with robbery; M. Engleheart, burglary and Thos. McClosky, a tramp. They were ordered discharged

THE INDICTMENTS.

Only those cases in which the defendents are under arrest have been made public so far, the others being held until the defendants are properly served and taken into custody. Newspaper readers are familiar with most of those made public. They are as follows:

Frank Jones and Benj. Adams, murder in the second degree. They are the men who killed Wm. Shubert at the Pond Creek dance last week.

Downing T. Detrow, two indictments, housebreaking and larceny. He broke into the residence of Thomas Herron and Jacob Bodner, Aug. 2.

Wm. H. A. Bishop, rape and assault upon his daughter Margaret, adultery with her, and fornication all on August 26th.

Chas. E. Morris and Chas. Lambert, being tramps.

Frank C. Atkens, slander.

Nan Frioze, assault and battery.

Elmer Wallace, assault and battery.

Ewing Davis, cutting with intent to wound.

Thomas Taylor, assault and battery.

Wm. Harris and Edward Johnson, assault with intent to kill Henry Leichner, August 5th.

John Hennessy, grand larceny, stealing $65 worth of shoes from the Portsmouth Turn Shoe factory, August 15th.

John Shafer, grand larceny, stealing $120 from Henrietta Rogers of the Farmers Hotel, August 5th.

Louis Appel, cutting with intent to kill and wound Wm. Hanson, Aug. 16th.

Harry Dill, assault with intent to rape Clara B. Compson, April 10th.

James Crawford, burglary and larceny, stealing 20 chickens valued at $6 from the coop of Jos. L. Prather, March 19th.

DOCKET ENTRIES.

Edwin F. Sexton vs. Henry C. Davidson et al.: finding for plaintiff by default for $703. Foreclosure of mortgage and order of sale.

J. S. Dodge, receiver, vs. Geo. Hengehold et al.: finding for defendant, judgment vs. defendant for costs.

John Brown vs. Vinton Price et al. Sale confirmed, deed ordered. Distribution, costs including attorney's fees to Bannon & Bannon, $300.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Union Township—Isaac Deems to G. W. Ewing, 15 acres, $100.

Fifth Ward Portsmouth—Eliza D. Kehoe to W. D. Myers, lot 4, Kehoe addition, $1,500.

A. A. and A. J. Fuller to James O. Boydson, lot 41, Crawford addition, $349.

H. P. Pursell, trustee, to Emma Frownie, lot 52, Pursell addition, $333.

Sixth Ward Portsmouth—John Hogan, guardian of A. Noel, to A. T. Noel, lots 29, 28 and 40, Skelton addition, $1,395.

John Hogan, guardian of A. Noel, to Josiah O. Noel, lots 1 and 16, N. & McE. addition and lots 32 and 33, Skelton addition, $1,360.

PROBATE RECORD.

Gibson, administrator, vs. Steagalls: appraisement confirmed, bond ordered, $530. Order of sale at public sale.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Isaac Spence and Ellie A. Dale.

Wm. Hammond and Jeanette Bolles.

Frank Henig, Eliza Munn.

MORTGAGES CANCELLED.

Geo. H. Staten and wife to Royal Savings and Loan association $800.

FRAGMENTS.

The condition of Mr. A. Knittel is somewhat improved this afternoon, resting more comfortably.

Cline Duke has entered the business college of W. R. Graham, on Gallia street, as a student in short hand.

"Bloose" Woods, the hero of Company H says he has been selected to lead the cake walk September 26, and announces that he will appear in an elegant new dress suit.

IN SOCIETY CIRCLES.

A Surprise Dancing Party Last Night—Ladies' Musical Society—A Dance Next Monday.

A very pleasant surprise party was held at the new residence of Jacob Laubly, corner Gallia and Offnere street, last night, Mrs. Laubly's sister, Miss Emma Schimpf, being the victim. About fifty young people enjoyed dancing until a very late hour to the music of Bever's orchestra. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Miss Irene Huston will entertain with a large dancing party, at Seel's hall, next Monday evening, in honor of her guests—her niece, Miss Bessie Huston, and Miss Shelby, of Lexington, Mo.

The Ladies' musical have made arrangements to hold their meetings this season in the chapel of All Saints' church. This room will accommodate a larger number of associate members than was enrolled last year. Any lady may become an associate member by giving her name to the secretary, Mrs. E. F. Draper, and paying the annual fee of $2.00. The first meeting will be held October 12.

A BIG EVENT

In Colored Society Circles Was the Dance at Mrs. Georgia's Last Evening.

The dancing party at the residence of Mrs. Della Georgia, on Kinney Lane, last evening, in honor of her son, Charles, of Columbus, who is visiting here, was a great event in colored society circles. A large crowd was present and spent a pleasant evening. During the evening Billy Patterson and a jag showed up at the dance and between them contrived to raise a little disturbance. Officer McFarlin chanced to be in the neighborhood, however, and succeeded in "persuading" William and his friend to depart in peace.

Election of Officers.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected at a recent meeting of the official members of the German U. B. church: Sunday school superintendent, George J. Schmidt; assistant superintendent, J. F. Menke; secretary, George Roepple; treasurer, John Moeller; class leaders, George Brandian and J. F. Menke; Sunday school librarian, Adam Youngman; stewards, John Moeller, George Herder, Conrad Hast; missionary secretary, Charles Streich; missionary treasurer, Conrad Hast.

DEATH

Removes Two of Portsmouth's Best Known Old Citizens.

Mrs. J. D. Clare Died Shortly After Noon and Mr. Eustace Ball About 3 O'clock—Brief Sketches of the Two.

MRS. CLARE

Mrs. Sarah Jane Clare, nee Ross, died at her home on Chillicothe street shortly after noon today. While she has been in poor health for some time past her death was unexpected, and she has been seriously ill but a very short time.

Mrs. Clare was born near Jackson, O., about seventy years ago, and was married to Mr. Clare at Winchester, in August, 1846. They have lived in this city since the fall of 1873. Mrs. Clare has been an active worker in the Bigelow M. E. church, and was prominently identified with various philanthropic movements. She leaves six children, Mrs. Josephine Miller, of Columbus; Mrs. Hortense Hughes and Mrs. Alice R. Bentley, Madison Furnace; J. Robert and Earl Clare, of Portsmouth, and Eugene Herbert Clare, of Bloom Furnace.

CAPT. E. H. BALL.

Capt. E. H. Ball died a few minutes after 3 o'clock p. m. He was about 56 years old; and came to Portsmouth late in the '50—about 1858. He was a clerk for R. Lloyd & Co. and also R. Bell & Co. in the shoe business, but early in the beginning of the war became a recruiting lieutenant and after raising a company for the 53d O. V. I. regiment, was commissioned captain, which he refused to accept but took the office of first lieutenant instead and gave the captaincy to a friend—Capt. Baird.

He remained in the service several years, passing through many battles and campaigns. He was one of the officers of Sherman's original division, and belonged to the famous Fifteenth corps, whose badge was a cartridge box with the words "forty rounds" printed on it. He was during most of the service a staff officer and one of the most efficient in the army.

His health was wrecked in the line of duty, and his suffering has been continuous till death came to his relief gently this afternoon.

His disease was a complication of liver and kidney trouble, those diseases fatal to business men of middle life. He has been very low for several days, and this morning it became evident that the end was near. His brother, George Ball, of Cincinnati, and sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Colburn, of Charleston, arrived today.

W. D. MYERS AGAIN.

The Roanoke Authorities Arrive with a Requisition but Are Foiled Once More.

The Roanoke authorities are evidently determined to get W. D. Myers back there, and Mr. Myers is just as determined not to go back. Readers of the TIMES are familiar with the attempt a few days ago on the part of the authorities to take him back there, but he was released on a writ of habeus corpus and no requisition was secured. Thursday, Marshal Schmitt received a telegram, asking if Myers was still here. Last night Officer Eanes arrived here with a requisition honored by Governor McKinley. Myers was arrested this morning and lodged in jail. His attorneys were however active, and he was released on $500 bond for his appearance in court here Oct. 10, when there will be a hearing on the requisition.

Mr. Eanes says there are two indictments for grand larceny, one stealing a $50 check and the other a $75 check. Mr. Myers claimes that the checks were drawn in his favor and came into his possession in the ordinary run of business. The officer will return this afternoon without his prisoner and with a very uncomplimentary opinion of Ohio law.

J. C. Graham Sued.

J. W. Dodge & Co. have entered suit to recover for work done for one J. C. Graham. If all similarly placed would enter suit it would give this gentleman quite a diversion for some time. This suit will develop the fact whether he is solvent, and if he is others' chanees will increase accordingly.

Everything O. K.

James McMahon, 189 East Ninth street, has prepared cracker meal for frying oysters, fish, and other purposes. Always freshly ground. Try it. It is first class. He keeps all kinds of bread, cakes and crackers, which will be delivered at your door.

First oyster soup of the season at the White Bear hotel tonight. J. A. Schreik, proprietor.

A SMALL SENSATION

Caused by the Appointment of Theo. F. Doty to Succeed A. F. Bloomeyer as Night Agent.

A small sensation was caused in railroad circles this morning by the announcement that Adolph F. Bloomeyer, local freight agent of the Norfolk & Western had been superseded, his successor being Mr. Theodore E. Doty, who formerly held that position, but who resigned something over a year ago to accept the presidency of the Scioto Fire Brick company, whose works are located in Sciotoville. The change takes place today.

The many friends of Mr. Bloomeyer, in this city, will regret to hear of the change, as he is a genial, clever, whole-souled gentleman, and deservedly popular. He has held the position of local freight agent about a year, and as far as known gave general satisfaction.

Theodore Doty, who resumes his old place, is too well known to need any introduction to Portsmouth people. He was for years local agent of the N. & W., and is the present councilman of the Sixth ward.

THE DANCING CLASS.

Prof. Lou Schaechne Gives His Initial Lesson at Seel's Last Evening.

Prof. Schaechne, a pleasant young gentleman from Columbus, gave a free dancing lesson at Seel's hall last evening, this being the initiary step towards organizing a dancing class for this winter. Prof. Schaechne comes highly recommended from Prof. S. P. Tilly, the well known Columbus dancing master, and also has flattering press notices from Chillicothe dailies where he has had a class for the past two years, and also has one this season. Among others the professor makes a specialty of the Glide waltz as danced in the fashionable ball rooms of the East. The easy movements of this waltz particularly commends itself, there being but little physical exertion.

Dancing, Dancing, Dancing.

Prof. Schaechnee, teacher of Dancing and physical culture, will open at Seel's Hall. Thursday September 20th. Children's day Saturday, from 2 until 5 p. m.

COME BACK.

The Grand Jury Didn't Find a Bill But the Mayor Did.

Among the persons in the county jail against whom no indictment was found was James Minturn, held for highway robbery. The prisoner was recognized from mayor's court, where he was fined $25 and sentenced to thirty days in the work house for larceny, this sentence being suspended awaiting the action of the grand jury. He was released from jail and skipped out before the marshal could get hold of him.

Hard Tack.

Hard tack crackers for the Oak Hill reunion were manufactured by James McMahon, 189 East Ninth street.

See the Wills Brothers as Professor Kritzmyer and O'Donovan Duff introduce lots of fun in the Liberty Bell.

FREE ADVERTISEMENTS

Advertisements under the head of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," etc., not to exceed three lines, will be published three times free.

WANTED—Furnished room, suitable for light housekeeping for man and wife. Address G. S., General Delivery.

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WANTED—Position as saleslady, or to assist by writing in the office of any manufacturing establishment. No. 26 West Tenth street. 14-19.

FOR RENT—On Gay street near Ninth, a nice new two story frame house. Enquire of Mrs. James Graham, of West Fourth street. 13

FOR SALE—A fine English, dark oak bed room suit, cost $45, a bargain. Call at 230 East Third street. 13

FOR SALE—Surrey, good as new, strong, light running, cheap for cash. Enquire at 620 Chillicothe street. 13

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